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Madrid, January 18.

THE Government of *Sardinia*, vacant by the removal of the Count *de Fuensalida* to that of *Milan*, is not yet disposed of. The 10th Instant was performed the Ceremony of giving the *Golden Fleece* to Count *Mansfelt*, the Emperor's Ambassador at this Court, at which all the Knights of that Order, which were here, assisted. The King has ratified the Treaty the Count *de Melgar*, Governor of the *Milaneze*, hath lately concluded with the State of *Venice* for 3000 Men, which are to be sent to the assistance of that Republick. By a Vessel arrived at *Cadiz* from the *West Indies*, we have Advice, that the Galeons would be ready to sail from *Cartagena* in the beginning of *March*, and that their Lading would amount to 20000 Millions in Silver, besides Merchandizes; And that most of the Pyrats who went into the South were destroyed. The extraordinary Council that was held the last week in the King's presence, was, we are told, to regulate several matters concerning his Majesties Revenues.

Genoua Jan. 14. The Duke of *Monaco* is still here, but intends to part from hence the beginning of the next week for *France*. The Marquis *de Marini*, late Envoy Extraordinary from this Republick at the Court of *France*, arrived here two or three days ago in a Gally from *Marseilles*. By a Vessel arrived from the Coast of *Barbary*, we are informed that six Men of War of *Tripoli*, who had served in the Grand Signior's Fleet the last Summer, were returned home, and that two of them were gone out again to cruise.

Lisbon, *Jan.* 1. The 19th of the last Month the Sieur *Amelot*, Ambassador of *France*, had his Publick Audience of the King of *Portugal* (who is perfectly recovered of his late Indisposition) and afterwards of the Infanta. We have Advice that two *Portuguese* Ships bound for *Brazile* and *Angola*, have been cast away near *O Porto*, their Lading, which was all lost, being valued at 500000 Crowns.

Leghorne, *Jan.* 16. The Great Duke of *Tuscany* has given Orders for the arming four Galiots at *Pisa*, which are to cruise on these Coasts, to secure them against the Pyrats of *Barbary*. Five *English* Merchant Ships arrived here this week.

Venice, *Jan.* 18. The 12th Instant the Senate made choice of Prince *Maximilian* of *Brunswicke*, to be General of the Forces of the Republick, with a yearly Pension of 6000 Ducats; And the same day gave a Commission to Colonel *Marati*, to raise 1000 Men in the Isle of *Corsica*; The Senate have likewise appointed three extraordinary Governors of the Galeasses, who are Signior *Bartolomeo Contarini*, Signior *Philippo Doria*, and Signior *Alessandro Beregani*. We have Advice, that the Two thousand *Turks* which we told you in our last, had appeared in the Neighborhood of *Coron*, increasing afterwards to 4000, had formed a design upon *Coron*, for which purpose they expected some Cannon from *Modon*; but that Signior *Molino*, who was Cruising with a Squadron of Men of War in the Gulph of *Coron*, having notice thereof, he had, after having taken the necessary measures with the Governor of *Coron*, sent an Officer ashore to assemble the *Greeks* and *Maynotes*, of which having got together a considerable Body, he caused them to embark in small Boats which he had provided, and to land again in the Night not far from *Coron*, who being joined by the Garison of that place, they environed the *Turks*, and charged them so vigorously, that most of them were killed or taken Prisoners, and the rest put to flight, the *Venetians* remaining Masters of their Baggage, and a great quantity of Arms and Ammunition. The Letters from *Rome* of the 12th of this Month tell us, that the Pope's Indisposition still kept him from giving any Audiences; And that his Holiness had for some days been troubled with the Gout in his hand.

Warsaw, *Jan.* 10. The *Turks*, as the last Letters from *Zolkiew* inform us, do endeavor to amuse the Court of *Poland*, and to slacken the Preparations that are making in this Kingdom, by their repeated Overtures of Peace, which they have not only made by the hands of the *Polish* Minister at *Adrianople* (where he has been detained ever since the present War) and the Envoy of the Cham of *Tartary*, but likewise by other ways; but they have been all rejected in a manner that will let the *Ottomans* see how vainly they endeavor to divert the King from a vigorous prosecution of the War, or to separate him from his Allies. The *Polish* Officers are now making their Recruits, besides which several new Regiments will be raised. Towards the charge whereof, the Pope has by his Nuncio at this Court, contributed a considerable Sum of Money, and has given the King an assurance of yet greater Supplies. It is certain the Campagne will be begun on this side much sooner this year than it hath yet been since the War; And, it's said, that the 12th of *May* is already appointed for the general Rendezvous of the Army. We have an account from *Lembergh*, that the Sieur *Mohila*, General of the *Cossacks*, in the Service of this Crown, understanding that 3000 *Tartars* were drawn together near